

CONNECTICUT JOTTINGS.

TEST PRESS DISPATCHES FROM PARTS OF THE STATE.

Alleged Barbarous Treatment of a Girl of Seventeen—The Gale on the Sound Vessels Damaged—The Olney Case Likely to be Dropped—Storjowski to be Set Free, Etc.

Hartford, Oct. 13.—A serious case of cruelty came to the attention of the authorities Saturday afternoon and an investigation resulted in the arrest of Mrs. Christina Wescott, living on Laurel-street. She is charged with cruelly beating and biting her pretty seventeen-year-old daughter, Bessie Wescott. The girl has been employed at the garage of W. H. Wiley & Son. Saturday afternoon the shopmates of Bessie went to Agent Thrall of the Humane society and entered a complaint against Mrs. Wescott, saying that the afternoon previous Mrs. Wescott had threatened to kill Bessie and as she had appeared at the factory it might be at something had happened. The girl being seventeen years old, Agent Thrall had no jurisdiction and the complaints were referred to the prosecuting attorney. He investigated and found that the girl had been locked up all day, he had been cruelly beaten, her hair had been pulled and her arm bore teeth marks. Mrs. Wescott was arrested and locked up.

This girl has figured extensively in the Humane society. In 1889 she lived with an aunt, Mrs. J. E. Burnham, here, too, she was cruelly beaten. She was ordered placed in the county home, but the Burnhams swore out a habeas corpus and a fight in the courts resulted. At length she lived with Rev. Samuel Stiles and continued to do so until her parents came on from Newfound-land. It is stated that her life with her mother has been one of continual punishment and cruelty. Mrs. Wescott is a peculiar woman and the neighbors say that her abuse of the girl has been frightful. The woman will be tried in the morning.

THE GALE ON THE SOUND—TWO VESSELS DAMAGED.

New London, Oct. 13.—The high wind which prevailed on the sound last night caused the three-masted schooner Grace Seymour, which was lying in the harbor, to drag her anchor. She fouled the schooner Manlius of Southport, and thereby did the latter's jibboom and other damage. The wind blew at the rate of thirty-four miles an hour in the harbor and was much stronger outside.

THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING DAY.

Westbrook, Oct. 13.—Old residents recall the fact that just fifty years ago to-day I. N. Spencer was married to Henrietta Post. Mr. and Mrs. Jared Kirtland acted in the capacity of best man and bridesmaid at the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. Kirtland are now living in Meriden.

NO WORK YET.

Cromwell, Oct. 13.—Contrary to expectations, the moulders employed at the J. & E. Stevens company's factory will not go to work to-morrow. It has been impossible as yet to reach an agreement between the moulders' union and the officials of the company.

TRINITY PARISH'S TWENTY-FIFTH.

Collinsville, Oct. 13.—The twenty-fifth anniversary of Trinity parish was celebrated to-day. Holy communion was celebrated this morning by the Rev. Dr. Huske of North Carolina. A special service for children at 4 o'clock this afternoon was followed by baptism and a special musical service was held this evening.

MAKES ITS BOW TO-DAY.

Middletown, Oct. 13.—To-morrow the morning edition of the Middletown Herald will make its initial appearance. The new paper will be a four-page sheet.

SCARLET FEVER CASES.

Moscow, Oct. 13.—Scarlet fever is epidemic in this place and matters seem to be growing more serious rather than improving. There are now thirteen patients in charge of Dr. W. W. Adams. He has urged upon the town authorities the necessity of a pest house or some quarters for the victims. The fever is of the most malignant type and the schools have been closed for some days. Several deaths have already occurred. It has been found to be almost impossible to keep the members of the stricken families in their houses, despite the most rigid quarantine regulations.

THE OLNEY CASE MAY BE DROPPED.

Willimantic, Oct. 13.—Action taken in the superior court in this city yesterday afternoon leads to the belief that the case against School Fund Commissioner Jeremiah Olney, who is charged with misappropriating monies of the school fund, will be dropped. Yesterday afternoon William C. Case and Henry C. Robinson, counsel for Olney, appeared before Judge Elmer and filed a demurrer to the complaints against Olney. The principle claim in the demurrer is to the effect that the case cannot be prosecuted because the offense alleged in the complaint to have been committed no steps were taken to prosecute until after one year from the time the offense was alleged in the complaint to have been committed. Counsel for the defense claims that the Connecticut statutes provide that no one can be prosecuted for any offense provided prosecution is not commenced before a year passes.

By agreement between the counsel arguments on the demurrer were postponed until next Saturday. It appears now as if the case will never be tried.

NO PROOF.

Willimantic, Oct. 13.—John L. Hunter, state attorney for Windham county, is authority for the statement to the effect that Zezi Storjowski, the Pole, who has been confined in the Brooklyn jail since February for murdering his wife and stepson, will be released shortly, as no proof exists against him.

MUSICAL.

Hansel and Gretel—The First Night of the New Fairy Opera at Daly's.

The first performance in this country of Engelbert Humperdinck's fairy opera, "Hansel and Gretel," just given by Sir Augustus Harris' opera troupe at Daly's theater last night under the musical direction of Mr. Anton Seidl. This opera has enjoyed unprecedented success in Berlin, Frankfurt, Leipzig, Hamburg and several other German towns and was received with great favor in London when it was produced there last spring by practically the same company. It is promised for early production in Paris, several works by active composers being temporarily set aside, wherefore the French critic smacked his lips for Tchaikovsky. At the premiere in Berlin their majesties, the emperor and empress, were present and graciously summoned Humperdinck to their box and congratulated him on his success. Humperdinck, who is still a young man, is well known as the musical critic of the "Frankfurter Zeitung," and as the teacher of Siegfried Wagner, whose father has been the model and inspiration of the composer's labors. This work, which has already made his name familiar to the whole musical world, owes its extraordinary vogue to the fact it achieved a double success—one with the critics and one with the public. The critics praised it for its stirring musical work, its clever orchestration and fine thematic development, and the public was charmed with the simplicity and wholesomeness of the story and by the use of familiar melodies and folk songs.

The story is one familiar to all students of German, the nursery tale of Hans and Gretel, and has been put into pretty German verse by the composer's sister, Frau Witte, and Englished by Miss Constance Bache, who is well known as a German translator. The translation has been, in the main, well done, the fancies retaining to a remarkable degree the quaint lyrical value of the originals. But it must be confessed that in the declamatory passages the words are very badly adapted to the music, the recent falling always on an unimportant word, which is very hard on the singers.

The performance went very smoothly for a first night. One would naturally expect as much with Sir Augustus Harris and Mr. Daly at the head. And the mere presence of Mr. Seidl insured a fine musical performance in so far as it lies in the conductor's power to make a performance good. The acoustics of Daly's theater are atrocious and it is a very unsuitable place for the performance of a musical work of the reason so much of the delicate orchestration was entirely lost. The prelude, which is built on the most important of the themes used in the progress of the opera, and the "Witch's Ride," which separates the first and second acts, and is a garishly colored but not particularly original bit of writing were played with great dash and spirit. Several times during the evening the excellence of the orchestra and the dignity of Mr. Seidl's presence were all that held the performance together.

Miss Jeanne Douste and Marie Elba as Hansel and Gretel respectively, were very satisfactory, especially in their acting. Miss Douste has a small voice and found it rather hard to make herself heard even in so small an auditorium, but she amply atoned for this by the charming naivete of her acting. Marie Elba made a fine sturdy boy, and she and Miss Douste acted so well together that they seemed precisely like two little peasant children frolicking together. The prayer in the second act was beautifully done and Gretel's "Rathsel Lied," the point of which is wholly lost in translation, was rendered in so exquisite a manner that had encores been permitted they would certainly have been in order at these points. Mr. Jacques Bars was admirable as Peter, the father of the children, both in acting and singing, and Miss Louise Meissinger, who has been heard here in opera before, made a very good witch, although she overdid the part. Of Miss Alice Gordon as the mother, the loss said the better for her acting was execrable and her singing worse.

The mounting of the play was not all that we had been led to expect, nor up to the standard of the house, but the scene of Gretel's dream—

"When at night I go to sleep
Fourteen angels watch do keep."
was very lovely when the clouds and trees got disentangled and the white-robed angels descended the illuminated golden stairway and grouped themselves about the sleeping children. The audience was obliged to restrain its enthusiasm until the end of the second act, as there is no wait between the first and second acts and no encores were allowed during the evening. Any attempts that way being promptly hissed down in real German opera spirit. When the curtain descended on the second act there was wild applause and shouts and bravos for "Seidl!" Hansel and Gretel appeared and were warmly greeted, then Sir Augustus and Mr. Daly appeared, hand-in-hand, just like the children and being urged there- by to cry for a speech, Sir Augustus came front and made a short speech about hopes and fears concerning the opera. He was evidently very nervous and got through his speech with difficulty. But when he gravely eulogized the composer under the name of "Humperdinck," the audience found it impossible to restrain their amusement and Sir Augustus joined pleasantly in the general laugh. When he retired the noise began anew and lasted until Mr. Seidl bashfully showed himself for a moment and then expeditiously withdrew. He is not a speech-making man.

Musical lovers will watch with interest the progress of this opera in New York. No opera has achieved a great popular success here since Mascagni's "Cavalleria Rusticana," and if this meets with as great favor here as in the fatherland it will show that public taste is not entirely corrupt and we still love a clean and wholesome work, which panders not at all to the taste of those who dote on the Tanqueray-Ebbwsmith school. If it is a success it will be due to its intrinsic merit and Mr. Seidl's conducting. We wish that Mr. Bunnell could have a performance of the work in New Haven. We did fair to have considerable good music with the four Symphony concerts, the six Kneisel, and the one appearance of the Boston Symphony, but an operative performance of real merit would be a

decided novelty and would be sure of good support.

THE GOUNOD SOCIETY.

At a meeting of the board of government of the Gounod society held the other evening at the residence of the president, C. S. DeForest, various matters of importance were discussed, including a question of soloists for the forthcoming production of Gounod's "Redemption," but no conclusion upon that matter was reached other than a resolution to secure the best quartet of oratorio soloists that can be found. The date of the concert will probably be Tuesday, December 10. Rehearsals will begin on Monday evening, October 21, at Harmonie hall, at 7:45 o'clock and will continue on successive Monday evenings until the concert in December. Nearly all the members of the chorus have given notice of their intention to sing during the season and there are many new applicants for membership. Blank applications can be had by addressing P. O. Harmon 70. All applicants should be at Harmonie hall on October 21, at 7 p. m. for the trial of their voices. There is great interest in the work chosen for the opening concert of the season this year and every prospect that the season will be in every way the most successful the society has ever had. The magnificent rendition of "St. Paul" has greatly stimulated interest in the society, both among singers and those who love oratorio music. An innovation that will undoubtedly do much to introduce the society to a section of the public that has not patronized its concerts, will be the popularizing of the prices for the afternoon performance. Prices this year will be reduced for the afternoon concert, so that everybody can afford to go, and it is likely that the theater will be filled hereafter at all afternoon concerts. This will not only be of advantage to the society but will aid in that educational work which the society seeks to perform.

YALE SCRESCENTS 2.

Saturday's Football Game Played in Rain and Mud.

Yale's football team met the team of Crescent Athletic club of Brooklyn at Eastern Park, Saturday. Owing to the steady downpour of rain the mud was deep and the crowd very small, not over 150 spectators being present. The playing was poor, owing to the mud. Had the circumstances differed, the game would have been hot and exciting, for the Crescents had been greatly strengthened since they played on Wednesday with the University of Pennsylvania. As it was, the Yale team won by a score of 8 to 2, the count for the Crescents being made by the good work of Brown. There were barely half a dozen women among the spectators when play began. The rules had been agreed upon, so that the revised lines of the New Haven club were in force. By another agreement, the game was reduced to two halves of twenty minutes each, instead of two of thirty-five minutes. Between the mud and the rain, the players had a hard time. Thorne and Sheldon did by far the best work, and won the most applause. A few of the spectators waved the blue of Yale when the team appeared on the ground, but there were few to give the cry of the Crescent club. The Yale-Princeton rules required a line-up of every man except the back on every down. It was nearly 4 o'clock when game was called. The line-up, with the subsequent changes, was as follows, the names of the succeeding players being given after those who originally filled the places.

	Positions.	Yale.
Brown	Left End.	Bass
Hughes	Left Tackle.	Rodgers
Wheeler	Left Guard.	Longacre, Sanford
Baldwin, Evans	Center.	Cross
Hotchkiss, Haskell	Right Guard.	Chadwick
Worden, Curry	Right Tackle.	Murphy
Coleman	Right End.	Hinkey
King	Quarter Back.	Flinck
Hutchinson, Sheldon	Left Half Back.	Thorne, Letton
Smith	Right Half Back.	De Witt
Ohl, Pratt	Full Back.	Letton, Jerrems

The mud was so deep that the players might have done better if they had been provided with diving suits. But they were not, and, as a consequence, the wallow and slither in the slime all the time, while the spectators found what small shelter they could under the covers of the main stand.

WEDDING MUSIC.

In Quiet Old Northford—Ceremony at the Congregational Church.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Mr. A. Le Roy Harrison and Miss Eva Mae Granger, both of Northford, to take place at the Northford Congregational church, on Tuesday, October 22, at 7:30 p. m., with reception at Association hall.

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